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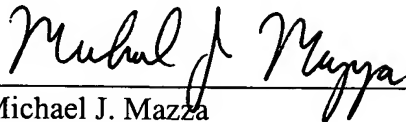
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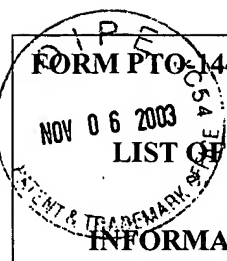
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	BH	5,992,351	11/30/99	Jenkins	119	173	
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	CG	5,762,023	06/09/98	Carter	119	173	
	CH	5,740,761	04/21/98	Lee et al.	119	173	
	CI	5,736,485	04/07/98	Miller	502	429	
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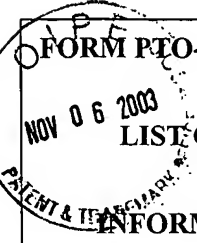
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	DD	5,647,300	07/15/97	Tucker	119	173	
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	DF	5,609,123	03/11/97	Luke et al.	119	173	
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	EH	5,389,325	02/14/95	Bookbinder, et al.	264	177.12	
	EI	5,386,803	02/07/95	Hughes	119	173	
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	FE	5,320,066	06/14/94	Gunter	119	28.5	
	FF	5,318,953	06/07/94	Hughes	507	100	
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	FH	5,304,527	04/19/94	Dimitri	502	425	
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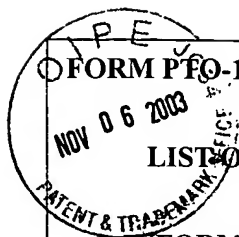
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	GB	5,210,112	05/11/93	Shimoda, et al.	523	132	
	GC	5,207,830	05/04/93	Cowan, et al.	106	672	
	GD	5,206,207	04/27/93	Tolles	502	424	
	GE	5,204,310	04/20/93	Tolles, et al.	502	416	
	GF	5,196,473	03/23/93	Valenta et al.	524	445	
	GG	5,193,489	03/16/93	Hardin	119	173	
	GH	5,188,064	02/23/93	House	119	172	
	GI	5,183,655	02/02/93	Stanislowski, et al.	424	76.6	
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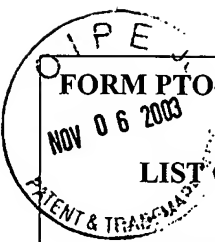
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	IC	5,019,254	05/28/91	Abrevaya et al.	210	169	
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	JD	4,704,989	11/10/87	Rosenfeld	119	1	
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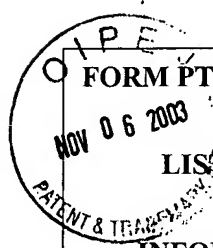
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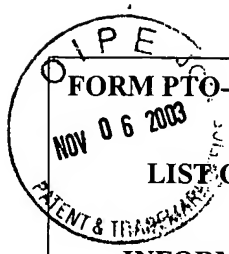
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